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For : METHOD FOR BUFFERING DATA STREAMS READ FROM  
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FILING OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS OF APPLICATION -  
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Requirements of Application Under 37 CFR 371, mailed August 3, 2006, and relating to the above-identified application Serial No. 10/551,575, Applicants hereby submit the following:

- 1) An executed Declaration and Powers of Attorney.
- 2) An executed Assignment with Recordal Sheet
- 3) Copy of Missing Parts Notice PCT/DO/EO/905.

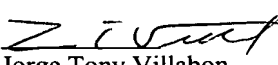
Please charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 07-0832:

- 1) A surcharge of \$130.00 required under 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) for filing the Declaration on a date later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).
- 2) An assignment recordation fee of \$40.00.

Please charge any additional fees and credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 07-0832. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for use in charging the deposit account.

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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/03/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/03/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 10/03/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/03/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/03/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 10/03/2005
- Power of Attorney filed on 10/03/2005

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Deadline	03/10/06
Date	08/08/06

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - The oath or declaration is missing. Also, the 1st inventor's name is listed as Gandolph on the transmittal letter, but shown as Adolph on the international application. Please clarify.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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